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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED
EXAMINING GROUP 2616**

PATENT

Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 04329.2384

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Hideo ANDO et al.) Group Art Unit: 2616
Application No.: 09/662,217) Examiner: BOCCIO, VINCENT F.
Filed: September 14, 2000)
For: MEDIUM FOR STORING) Confirmation No.: 9456
AUDIO/IMAGE INFORMATION)
AND MANAGEMENT SYSTEM)
THEREOF) Mail Stop AF

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed July 1, 2005, the period for response extending through October 3, 2005 (October 1st being a Saturday), and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants propose that this application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks follow the amendment section of this paper.